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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re the PATENT application of

Noah Scott Higdon, et al.

Examiner: Evans, Fannie L.

Serial No.: 10/098,627

Art Unit: 2877

Filed: March 18, 2002

For: Laser Interrogation of Surface Agents

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2003, for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Amendment/Response
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Associate Power
- ☐ Revocation and New Power
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☒ Return receipt postcard
- ☐ Check No. 7295 in the amount of \$158.00 for the total fee as calculated below
- ☐ Other: Check No. 7294 in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the one-month extension of time fee.

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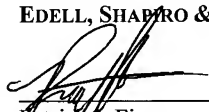
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Total Claims	64	- 60	4	x \$18.00	\$72.00
Independent Claims	7	- 6	1	x \$86.00	\$86.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$290.00					
Total Amendment Fee					
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims Small Entity Status (subtract 50% of Total Application Fee)					
Other fees: (specify)					
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$158.00

- ☒ A check for the total fee is attached.
- ☐ Please charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 05-0460 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

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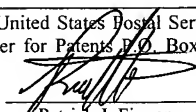
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